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In re/ Application of: Daniel O'Mahony and Imelda Lambkin

Application No.: 09/671,089

Examiner: S. Snedden

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For: MEMBRANE TRANSLOCATING
PEPTIDE DRUG DELIVERY SYSTEM

(Atty. Docket No. P26,479-A USA)


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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR §1.136(a)

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Sir:

It is hereby requested that the term to respond to the Office Communication of March 25, 2003 be extended two months, from June 25, 2003 to August 25, 2003.

Extension of Time Request

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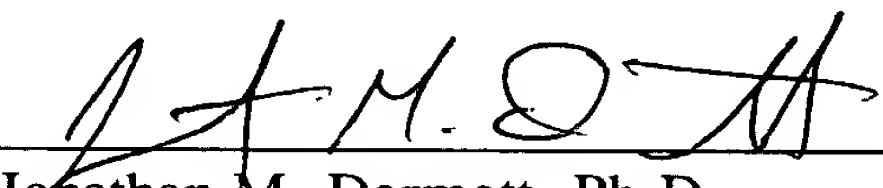
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A check to cover the extension fee of \$410.00 is enclosed. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 19-5425. A duplicate of this letter is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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